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 DUNCAN MARSH, Manager.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1908.

DREADING THE RESULTS

The blockade of public business is the tribute of the Opposition to the efficiency of the Federal Government. Were the Government either incapable or corrupt nothing could be more desirable from the Opposition standpoint than that they should be permitted to proceed with the business of the session. In either event the more the business brought down the more the incapacity or dishonesty of the Government manifest itself. It is simply because the progress of Parliament's business is certain to reveal neither incapacity nor dishonesty that the Opposition members are anxious to prevent that business being proceeded with. If they had anything to hope from the consideration of public affairs they would not only be glad to facilitate the work of Parliament by every means in their power; it is because they are nothing to gain and everything to lose by the rapid progress of the session that they attempt to prevent business being advanced, and it is possible to prolong the session to an indefinite time, make the proper discharge of that business impossible.

Results must always be the test of governmental efficiency. This is the test which the electors apply, and by which they support or overthrow governments. The late Federal Government period which began in 1905 failed to "make good," because their policy failed to pan out satisfactory results. After eighteen years they could show to the people no results and tangible proof that their theories were correct or their policies well-advised. They went the way of the inefficient. When the present Government came to power, the electors of Canada that their policy makes for the general welfare, that the country gains something by the application of that policy, they try to make in the nature of things quite obvious—provided the Opposition have by that far-distant date settled upon something resembling a policy, and that it is intelligible plan for the administration of the public affairs.

This is precisely the test the Opposition do not want the electors to apply to the record of the present Government for the excellent reason that judging by such basis, no reasonable man can possibly believe that the Government has not a better grasp of affairs than their predecessors or their critics, or that they are not more successful in working out their policy than their predecessors were or that their opponents would likely be. The more the results of the Government policy and administration are known the more certain is the approval of the electorate. The only chance of the Opposition, therefore, are to get a policy of their own, something better than the Government have been able to produce, or to detract public attention from the record of the Government. They have failed in the former, unless the ruin of the Halifax platform—and have only the latter expedient to fall back upon. This is why they block the business of Parliament in various sessions—to prevent the results of the Government's policy and administration becoming known to the electors, and to force the Government to judgment something else, or anything else, than the standard that should be applied. They dare not challenge the results.

A DISTINGUISHED OLD TIMER

The death of Judge Kilham removes at once a distinguished Westerner and a valued public official. As chairman of the Railway Commission he rendered public service which has been fully admitted and very generally appreciated, but not over-estimated and perhaps not so clearly understood as desirable. The Commission was instituted as a kind of regulator of the transportation system. Its business is to prevent injustice to the public without inflicting injustice on the transportation companies. The efficiency of the body must always depend largely on the understanding, judgment and spirit of the presiding officer. In Judge Kilham we were enabled a clear understanding, a sound judgment and a wholesome public spirit that made for the maximum of public good with the minimum of interference with the railway companies. His associates will do well if they can sustain the traditions of the

office. Western Canada may be judged a measure of justice in the fact that one who assisted in establishing those traditions was a Manitoba Old Timer.

THE MORTGAGES HAVE GONE.

The London Free Press, the leading Conservative journal at Western Ontario, reflects the commercial and industrial conditions of its district in a way not likely to bring comfort to its friends. Says the Free Press:

The property barometer in London indicates a higher temperature, a settled financial atmosphere for the next six months, and the weather, that follow, and a warmer, happier, brighter south wind, that will make trade hang along, disdaining the knocker and the pessimist.

How is this for an instance of reality in the agricultural industry that means so much to the city of London? The new traction company which has been organized by London men to run to Stratford and St. Mary's, through the County of Middlesex, started a little while ago to get on the farm land along both of the routes through the country under contract from the city council.

Not without following. They have already looked over more than eighty farms of the County of Middlesex, and have discovered a considerable "home market" for the produce of their land. Eleven years ago, probably that Journalist, held over those farmers the threat that the success of the Liberals would mean the closing of the factories and the destruction of the home market. Yet after eleven years of this devastating policy the Free Press declares that on eighty neighboring farms there is a surplus of produce. The argument would be complete in detail if the Free Press informed us how many of these farms were from mortgages eleven years ago. Unless the local conditions varied marvellously from those general throughout the peninsula counties it is a safe estimate that not more than forty of these farms were without encumbrance when the friends of the Free Press went out of power.

The mortgage, which disappeared if the Liberal policy has "thrifted" them it at least unbacked the farmer's hands and allowed him to do so.

A BADLY NEEDED AMENDMENT.

A committee of the House of Commons are hearing representations of the parties concerned in the proposed Insurance Companies Bill. The Insurance Companies think that the measure is best shown by the persistent campaign in which they have reviled the Insurance Commission and condemned the projected bill. This is the latest salvo in the committee's attack that could profitably be included in the new Act. These cartoons cost money and their publication has the effect of increasing their number and widespread circulation, the total cost must have run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. It is not enough to sue the publishers, but the Government have been able to produce, or to detract public attention from the record of the Government. They have failed in the former, unless the ruin of the Halifax platform—and have only the latter expedient to fall back upon. This is why they block the business of Parliament in various sessions—to prevent the results of the Government's policy and administration becoming known to the electors, and to force the Government to judgment something else, or anything else, than the standard that should be applied. They dare not challenge the results.

ON THE SIDE.

William Hughless Heart threatens to support Mr. Bryan for the Presidency. Poor Bryan! He has luck never change.

The Montreal Witness estimates the cost of the three wasted months of the present session of Parliament at a half million dollars. This is five hundred thousand wasted months of their there should be a slaughter among the obstructionists when the clock has a day of reckoning.

CALGARY DUST INQUIRY.

Live Question in Southern City—Built on Sand.

Calgary, Alta., March 3.—The dust question is a live question in Calgary just at present and many meetings are being held to endeavor to find some satisfactory method of overcoming it. At the meeting of the business men of the city the following resolution was passed:

"That the committee on public works be urged to see some arrangement for the thorough the streets and avenues from the city's hydrants by using hose as well as the watering carts, and that the street watering be extended as far west in the city as the water can be carried."

This motion received a thorough going, but it is not the resolution that the committee be asked to make enquiries as to the cost of putting the oil on the streets just now as the city is asked to pass them. Watering the streets at the present time is the most expensive of the many suggestions that Mr. Fisher was requested to make a note of and bring to the notice of the council.

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TUESDAY'S GRAIN MARKETS.

Winnipeg, Man., March 3.—Cables were heavy, mainly on the weakness in the American markets. The weather forecast for the week ending March 3rd was adverse, and the grain market was active buying, but the advance was so rapid in Chicago and Minneapolis as to suggest manipulation.

J. A. Pelton, wired Harry McLean at the close of the market. This wheat was in an exceptionally strong position. The weather forecast for the week ending March 3rd was adverse, and the grain market was active buying, but the advance was so rapid in Chicago and Minneapolis as to suggest manipulation.

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Priest is Threatened.

New York, March 3.—Benevolent, repeated denunciations of secularism from his pulpit and the efforts of the Archbishop of the Catholic Church, Rev. Lucien Bédard, pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Waterbury, Conn., has received an anonymous letter, containing a clipping from the Polish Socialist paper in Chicago, threatening to kill him if he persists in his fight.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST

HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Land in Manitoba or the North West Province excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one quarter section, of 10 acres, more or less.

Application for homestead land may be made in person to the agent at a Dominion Land Agency or by agency entry for every man, woman or child, by any agency, on the conditions by the father, or mother, daughter, brother or sister.

Where an entry is cancelled subsequent to the date of the application, the applicant may be personally at the Dominion Land Agency, or by the agent of the land, and if the land applied for is valuable, the cost of the application is to be paid by the applicant.

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REMOVAL NOTICE.

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of a heating system for the

New Public Building at Regina, Sask.

Plans and specifications can be seen

and forms of tender obtained on application

at the Department and from W. T. McLeod,

Eng. Dept. of Works, Regina, Sask.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders

will not be considered unless made

in duplicate, and accompanied by a

check for the amount of the tender, and

signed with the actual signature.

Each tender must be accompanied by

an accepted cheque in the order of the

Minister of the Interior, for the

amount of the tender, which will be

forfeited if the person tendering declines

to enter into a contract when called upon

to do so, or if he fails to complete the

work contracted for. If the tender is

accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself

to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,

FRED GELINAS,

Secretary,

Department of Public Works,

Ottawa, February 27, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the

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for the creation of an examining

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and forms of tender obtained at this

Department and on application to J. G.

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TENDER FOR PRIZE LIST

1908

Tender is hereby called for the

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All grain will be bought at current market prices date of inspection, plus a reasonable premium, dependent upon its vitality and suitability for seed purposes, subject to the conditions as above set forth.

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AROUND THE CITY

LOCALS

W. Birks, of the Royal bank, who has undergone an operation at the Misericordia hospital, is doing very well.

The charge of fraud against J. H. Haffney, in connection with his duties as agent for the City of Edmonton Insurance Co., has been further postponed until next Saturday.

The remains of Joseph T. Thompson, who was killed last night by falling from a high building, will be taken tomorrow morning to Belmont where the funeral will likely take place on Friday.

William Livingston, house master of Balgownie, Scotland, is at present visiting his son, Alex. Livingston, proprietor of the Clarendon Hotel, Quebec street, Vancouver, B. C. He has purchased 120 acres of land near the Griffin Packing Plant, out of the city which his son will cultivate as a mar ket garden.

H. L. Williams, manager of the American Canadian Oil Company, who has returned to the city this week from a trip he was on to the Yellow Head Pass, reports having discovered a seam of pure gravel, 400 feet in length and from 4 to 10 feet in depth. He has freighted out the gravel to the city and is confident that it will prove of great value, not only to the whole of western Canada.

George Bevans, a clerk at the Edmonton Hotel, who has been suffering some time from chronic rheumatism, died at a heart hospital in Montreal on Monday last. He was 40 years of age and was brought to the city a few days before his death for treatment. He had been suffering from the disease for some time and was in poor health when he came to the city.

A grand Marching band was held Tuesday evening in the City Hall corner of Kinnaird and Elizabeth streets. About 200 boys, 100 of whom were in the city hall, took part in the event and the music was enjoyed by the large number of spectators who were present. The band was led by Mr. J. H. Haffney, who was in charge of the music very acceptably and played the music very acceptably and played the music very acceptably.

POULTRY SHOW WINNERS.

The poultry and pet stock show is now in full swing in the Mechanics Hall, Third street, and is drawing a decided success. At two o'clock this afternoon the doors were thrown open to the public, and many are the visitors who are taking advantage of the opportunity this afforded them in viewing the prize poultry of various breeds and of various colors. The judging is practically completed and red, yellow and black are the colors of the prize. In some cases a bird will win a prize for its color, and in some cases a bird will win a prize for its shape. The prize for the best bird of the year is a prize of \$100.00. The prize for the best bird of the year is a prize of \$100.00.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. F. Archer, of Lethbridge, is a guest at the Albert Hotel.

J. Clark, a Winnipeg custom broker, is stopping at the Cecil.

J. L. Little, of Calgary, is a guest at the Cecil.

S. C. Stock, of the Winnipeg Union and Clothing Co., is in the city on account of illness.

A. A. Simpson, general manager, is in the city on account of illness.

Mr. A. H. Carr, 546 Sixteenth street, did not receive this first Friday on account of illness.

L. Zoran and J. Mciver, who are in the city on account of illness.

Mr. F. P. S. Sanders, a Winnipeg case and general agent, is in the city, stopping at the Windsor.

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HOLIDAY STOPS CASE.

The proceedings of the District Court came to a rather abrupt termination this morning on account of today being Ash Wednesday. This is a legal holiday, and neither the lawyers nor the judge felt it proceeding with the case and risking the proceedings being adjourned.

The case in question was the appeal of L. S. Pickett against the imposition of a fine of \$100.00 by the R.N.W.M.P. for breaking into the farm house of the plaintiff, the Waterbury Farm Co., of which the defendant was the owner. The case was heard by the judge, who found in favor of the plaintiff, and the defendant appealed.

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E. Y. & P. DAMAGE SUIT.

The argument in the case of Winterburn vs. the E. Y. & P., an action for damages to the plaintiffs from the alleged neglect of the defendants to maintain the railway tracks, was heard by the judge, who found in favor of the plaintiffs.

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AMUSEMENTS.

The production of Handel's oratorio "Samson" last night at the Orpheum Theatre was a success. The performance was well received by the audience.

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